Application No. 10/634,041

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Applicant: Michael Czysz Gp/Art Unit: 3611 Appl. No.: 10/634,041 Filed: 7/31/2003 Title: Motorcycle Fork Bottom Having Examiner: Lum Vannucci, Different Longitudinal Stiffness and Lee Sin Yee Adjustable Sideways Stiffness Docket No.: MCZ003

Commissioner for Patents

Portland, Oregon Date November 8, 2004

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir,

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 11/03/2004, in which: (2) Claims 1 and 11-13 were rejected under 35 USC 102(b) over US Patent 6,017,047 to Hoose, (3.a) Claims 2-9,14-20 were objected to, and (3.b) Claims 21-24 and 26-28 were indicated as being allowable. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 3 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.